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FOR ULTRASONIC LOAD :
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AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.114

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Sir:

The present Amendment is being filed together with a "Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal", as a submission pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.114. In conjunction with the present Amendment, kindly amend the above-identified patent application as shown below. In accordance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.121, amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this Amendment.